

Memorandum

Date : May 12, 1995

To : Michael Carlin
San Francisco Regional Water
Quality Control Board
2101 Webster Street, Suite 500
Oakland, CA 94612

From :  Steve Yaeger
CALFED Bay-Delta Program

Subject: Toxicity Briefing Paper

We are requesting your review of the attached draft Discussion, Conclusions, and Recommendations sections for the briefing paper on "Toxicity in the San Francisco Bay/Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta Estuary". This material is being prepared by Howard Bailey, University of California at Davis, under our direction. Specifically, we request that you review this material to ensure it addresses your agency's concerns regarding toxicity in the Estuary. In addition, we are requesting your ideas on how to proceed with completion of this paper and how this information can be used most effectively in the future process.

We would appreciate receiving your comments by the close of business Friday, May 26, 1995. In addition, we would like information from your agency as to present or future studies you may be planning which would help relate the knowledge of potential effects of toxicants to the Estuary's organisms discussed in the paper with potential impacts throughout the food chain. If you have any questions, please call me at 657-2666 or contact Victor Pacheco at the same phone number.

Attachment

cc: Lester Snow
Victor Pacheco
Rick Soehren